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Education: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING from OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

Objective: To obtain a position with an organization that will allow me to utilize the skills and knowledge I have accumulated while giving me the opportunity for growth and development

Employment History:

4/10/2020 to Present Green Rock Correctional Center: Staff Nurse

Duties include providing medical care to inmates by assuring they have their medications including their insulin. Assist the physician with doctor's sick call or chronic care. Evaluate needs during nurses' sick call. Handle emergencies as they arise and determine the best course of action by assessment utilizing evidence-based practices. Working closely with the correction's staff to ensure the security of the institution is not jeopardized. Coordinate the care given to the inmates by being the charge nurse and delegating in order to making sure everything gets done that needs done. Training new staff as they get hired in order to make certain that they learn and follow policy and procedure while performing their duties. Use the critical thinking skills I have learned and developed to assist security staff whenever I am needed. Remain composed during emergencies in order to provide a calming affect during stressful situations.

10/2017 to 9/17/2021 Sovah Danville Regional Medical Center Resource Nurse/ Staff Nurse/ Charge Nurse

Providing oversight and clinical support for the staff on a medical surgical unit. Assess patients determine plan of care then use critical thinking skills to decide the best way to implement the plan of care. Attend interdisciplinary team meetings and provide the rest of the team with pertinent input about each patient. Medication administration and education about the medications with each patient and/ or family. Try to alleviate patient / family concerns by trying to make them as comfortable as possible and assure informed consent for procedures. Monitor and assess the needs of the patients as well as condition to be able to determine appropriate level of care should the patient condition change. Ability to change quickly as situations change and good communication skills to be able to express changes in patient conditions quickly and confidently to avoid delays in care. Establish good working relationships with the rest of the interdisciplinary to assure the best possible outcome for each patient. Provide moral support for patients by advocating for their needs. The floor I currently work primarily cared for renal, pulmonary and GI bleed patients.

8/2016 to 1/2017 Ohio State University Hospital East Patient Care Coordinator on PCU

Caring for critically ill patients. We utilize EPIC EMR to enhance patient care. The progressive care unit is designated as the stroke unit of University Hospital East. I was trained on the INH stroke assessment and treatment. Assessment, care plan building and implementation. Utilize telemetry to monitor for any changes in the rate or rhythm of the patient's heart. Administer various medications and drips needed to stabilize the patients. Examples of drips include insulin, heparin, Amiodarone and various others including frequent blood transfusions.

6/2009 to 5/2016 CareSource Team Lead II, CARE4U

As a Case Manager, managed member's healthcare needs, including but not limited to education of their health problems and disease processes. Teaching patients to care for themselves more efficiently through education and helping their providers to coordinate care instead of duplicating it. As a Team Lead I was responsible for managing a team consisting of RNs, LPN, SW and Community Health Workers. Together with the team cared for a large group of members; helping the members obtain the necessary items or services to improve their health. Managing conflicts between staff members, hiring or disciplining staff as needed. Building team cohesiveness and fostering team work. Managing staff accountability and productivity for staff working from home.

5/2006 to 6/2009 Ohio Department of Rehab and Corrections Staff Nurse I

Caring for inmates in an institutional setting. Conducted the initial assessment of inmates entering the prison system from the various counties. Performed nurse sick call, doctor sick call, diabetic clinic and chronic care clinic to name a few. Was charge nurse on a rotating basis. Responded to emergencies; would triage and treat the patients based on clinical guidelines.

4/2000 to 3/2017: HealthPro Staffing Contract Staff Nurse

Working at various agencies as needed including the prisons, rehabilitation facilities, hospitals, clinics or private duty. Developed the ability to adjust to rapidly changing environments or job positions. At times working as the Director of Nursing, shift supervisor when needed or staff nurse depending on what the client's need was. I worked several hospitals throughout central Ohio, usually as a telemetry nurse.

5/2004 to 3/2006: Southern Ohio Health Services Network Practice Manager

Practice supervisor that managed a family practice with physicians, nurse practitioners, LPNs, MAs and Clerical Staff. Accountable for day to day operations as well as the financial stability of the practice. These duties included compliance training of all staff, ordering and distribution of supplies, monthly / annual reports to the state, quality monitoring and improvement, conflict resolution, maintaining staffing, and fostering relationships with outside entities like Ohio Department of Health and various pharmaceutical companies. Also responsible for recruiting staff, payroll, staff and physician scheduling, inventory, billing and marketing events.

1/2001 to 5/2004: Ross County Health District Ryan White Title III Coordinator / Case Manager

Coordinated and managed the Ryan White Title III federal grant for HIV/AIDS patients. Approximately 10 staff who worked under me in this role. Responsible for developing and maintaining quality assurance program. Conducting community education programs as well as going to a local college and training the nurses on HIV/AIDS. Verified that those being paid out of the grant were receiving the correct percentages of their pay from the grant. Case managed all the patients being cared for through the grant. Initiated the use of the Ryan White software for tracking the care of these patients. Fostered and maintained mutually beneficial relationships with providers, county, state and federal agencies as well as various pharmaceutical companies. Completed all the HIV testing along with pre and post counseling.

1/1995 to 8/2000 Ohio State University Medical Center Telemetry Staff Nurse

Caring for patients on a peripheral vascular/ general surgery/ ICU step down floor. Managed patients with multiple co-morbidities, requiring good organizational skills, critical thinking, prioritizing and the use of delegation in order to obtain the best outcomes for the patients.

References available upon request.